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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Osamu KAMATAKI, Junya KAWANO, Junichi IGARASHI, and
Kohei ONO

VITAL SIGN DISPLAY METHOD, VITAL SIGN DISPLAY MONITOR, AND
SYSTEM THEREOF

Assignee: NIHON KOHDEN CORPORATION

Our Ref. Q68836

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising eight (8) sheets of the
specification, including the claims and abstract, four (4) sheets of drawings, executed
Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	8	-	20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	8	-	3	=	5	x	\$84.00	=	\$420.00
Base Fee									\$740.00

TOTAL FILING FEE	\$1160.00
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
TOTAL FEE	\$1200.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1160.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00
are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or
overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to
charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under
37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to
Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

Country

Application No

Filing Date

Japan

2001-62437

March 6, 2001

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,
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